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The REVIEW will publish next week another list of Subscriptions to the Patriotic Fund. We hope to see your name amongst them.

Immense Irrigation Amalgamation Is Announced

A cable dispatch to the Calgary Herald, from London, Eng., states that—Application is to be made to the treasury for permission to raise the capital necessary to complete the irrigation of 500,000 acres of land in the Medicine Hat district. The undertaking gains special interest from the new movement for the settlement of ex-soldiers on Western lands.

It is proposed to amalgamate owners of the Medicine Hat land, namely, the Southern Alberta Land Co., the Canadian Westlands Ltd., and the Alberta Lands Company. Over five million dollars has already been spent in construction but the war prevented the raising of additional money to complete the canal system and irrigate the lands.

It is now proposed to raise over a million dollars. Sir William Pender is the receiver for the Southern Alberta Land Co. Among others assisting in the new effort are Sir P. A. C. Cress, Sir Robert Stinson and A. J. McMillan, who spent several months in Ottawa last summer negotiating with the Canadian Government respecting these interests.

The irrigated lands in question lie north of Bow Island, and the above dispatch is of particular interest, therefore to the residents of this town. In the event of the system of irrigation being completed and the land being settled with farmers, Bow Island being the nearest point much of the business should pass through here.

S.D. Boundaries Altered

Notice is given, in accordance with the provisions of the School Ordinance Act, by order of the Minister of Education, the boundaries of the Cherry Creek School District No. 2171 of the Province of Alberta, have been altered by withdrawing therefrom the following lands, namely: Section 18, the south half of section 24, the north half of section 20 and the west half of section 30 in township 10 range 10, all west of the fourth meridian; and that from and after the date hereof the said district shall comprise the following lands, namely: Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, 33, and 34, and the south half of sec. 29 in tp. 10 range 10, all west of the fourth meridian.

Notice is given, in accordance with the provisions of the School Ordinance Act, by order of the Minister of Education, the boundaries of the Fairchild School District No. 2181 of the Province of Alberta have been altered by withdrawing therefrom the following lands, namely: The north west quarter of section 18, and the south half of section 19 in township 10 range 9 west of the fourth meridian; and that from and after the date hereof the said district shall comprise the following lands, namely: Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, and the north east quarter of section 18 in township 10 range 9 all west of the fourth meridian.

Notice is given in accordance with the provisions of the School Ordinance Act, by order of the Minister of Education, the boundaries of the Rosemount School District No. 2127 of the Province of Alberta have been altered by withdrawing therefrom the following lands, namely: The south east quarter of section 2 in township 11 range 10 west of the Fourth Meridian; and that from and after the date hereof the said districts shall comprise the following lands, namely: Sections 9, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22 and 23, and the north half and south half of section 2 and the south half of section 20, 27, 28, and 29 in township 11 range 10 all west of the fourth meridian.

These orders took effect Dec. 31, 1916

Good Roads And Care of the Sick

Two Big Questions Coming Before the Convention of Rural Municipalities

The annual convention of the Alberta Association of Rural Municipalities and Local Improvement Districts will be held in Calgary on February 7th, 8th and 9th. The meetings will be held in Paget Hall. In addition to the usual business the convention will discuss exhaustively the subjects of good roads and the better medical and nursing care of the sick. The latter question has been under consideration for the past four years, and a mass of important information has been collected by Mr. Greenwood, a former president, which has been made the basis of an agitation for a provincial system of public hospitals. The scheme outlined has been amplified by other organizations to include towns and cities, and has already been presented to the government by a deputation of which the president of the R.M. and L.I.D. was one of the members. It is now one of a number of rural hospital schemes will be further discussed at the convention.

The officers this year are Mr. J. H. Lamb, Edmonton, president, and Jas. McNichol, Blackfald, secretary.

Paying Mortgages

A farmer with a ten year mortgage which has now been running eight years writes us that he tendered payment in full to the mortgage company but that the company declined to accept the principal until the full five years had expired. According to the "Interest Act" of Canada every mortgage company must accept full payment if payment is offered after five years together with a bonus of three months interest. If such payment is refused by the mortgage company no further interest may be collected. No mortgage company will refuse payment when they know that the farmer is aware of this law.

As a matter of fact there is considerable difference in the practice of various companies in regard to the payment of mortgage loans. Some companies will allow a farmer to pay up his mortgage at any time with a bonus of three months' interest unless the prepayment is offered within the first two years, when six months' interest is sometimes added. Other companies will not accept prepayment until the mortgage has matured. When rates are being paid off as a rule less frequently than new loans are being made, it would seem reasonable practice on the part of mortgage companies to accept full payment at any time with a reasonable bonus.

Corpse Jumps From Coffin

And Steps Reluctantly Hearse Team

Sullivan, Wis., Nov. 12—After lying two days in a coffin, a supposed corpse, Michael Schofield, awoke in the hearse to-day on the way to the cemetery.

A team frightened the horses and they ran away. The driver of the hearse, undertaker Morgan, was worried so badly that he is unable to leave his bed and the hearse needs new glass slides.

As the coffin was dumped into the ditch and the cover broken off, Schofield jumped out, caught the horses, patched up the driver, and assisted him back to this village.

A concert will be given in the I.O.O.F. hall, Bow Island, Jan. 27th, under the auspices of the Bow Island branch of the Red Cross. Miss Mair of Medicine Hat, and other talented artists will contribute to the programme.

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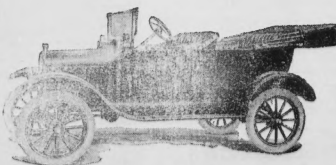
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An Extract From His Diary

One day I noticed that a trace was worn almost through I could easily have taken it to town with me that day and had it fixed, but I let it go. I was driving the binder in the rush of harvest when it broke. It was half a mile to the barn and I had nothing with me to repair it with, so I went to the house and got a piece of wire, and came back and went to work with my knife. The knife shut on my finger and cut it so I had to tear up my handkerchief to bind it. Then I went angrily at the job and broke my knife.

Well, finally I had to go back to the barn for more tools. I lost at least five dollars by the delay. If the cap fits, or in other words, if your business is in the same shape, for the love of Mike bring it in and have it overhauled. It will save your Time, Temper, and Money.

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Local and General.

R. L. Stone spent a few days in Calgary this week.

Inspect the wall paper at the Southern Alberta Hardware Co.'s Stores —Advt.

A. F. Dulmage returned last week from a visit to friends in the east.

D. Morris has been elected reeve, and S. Cope secretary of the Rural Municipality of Flower Plains.

Mrs. A. Swenson returned last week from a pleasant visit among friends in Minnesota.

Birth—On Saturday, January 13th at the Bow Island hospital Mrs. H. Schonert of a son.

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D. Bell, returned last week to his home at Seaman, Sask., after a pleasant visit with his nephew here, J. B. Stewart.

Special cut prices on silverware and cut glass at Southern Alberta Hardware Company's stores. —Advt.

A special meeting of the ladies of All Saint's church will be held at Mrs. F. W. Brown's on Wednesday next.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hurst and daughter of Lethbridge, who have just returned from a visit to California, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hurd.

The two men who were caught robbing the bank at Manly, of nearly \$17,000 were each sentenced by Judge Jackson on Tuesday morning to seven years in the penitentiary.

A sale of town lots took place at Orion, one of the new towns on the Lethbridge-Weyburn line on Wednesday. A similar sale took place at a previous date on Thursday. It is stated that this latter town will be a divisional point, and that the CPR is already effecting certain improvements with this end in view.

Charley Yip Yee, the genial well-known personality, who rules over the Quong Sang establishment on Main Street, has gone to Victoria, B.C. for five or six weeks. (The passage of this paragraph through the editorial department was considerably facilitated by a generous distribution of cigars among the staff of the Review by Mr. Yip Yee.)

Mrs. Edith Luckenby, formerly of Bow Island, has been called to England by the serious illness of her husband, who, it is stated is suffering from cancer and is not expected to live. Mr. Luckenby, it will be remembered, underwent an operation at Rochester, Minn., some time ago and it was thought at the time that the operation was successful. Apparently, however, the disease has got a fresh hold and in such a position that it is impossible to cope with it successfully.

J. H. Martin is in the hospital suffering from frozen feet and hands, which he sustained on Thursday of last week while engaged in his milk business. The day was a bitterly cold one and apparently Mr. Martin was not thoroughly aware how serious his condition was until after his arrival home. Careful treatment at the hospital has fortunately saved his feet. His left hand, however, is in a bad condition, and doubts are entertained as to whether it is possible to save this without amputating some of the fingers.

Union Sunday school is held in the Presbyterian church every Sunday at 11 a.m. Methodist church service at 7:30 p.m. Chas. Bishop, pastor.

Four children were frozen to death in a blizzard at Cadotte school house, Sask., on January 14th.



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Very recently, a firm of well-drillers shipped a well-olging outfit from Vancouver to Cheviot on the Canadian Pacific railway. The station agent given to the station agent was for "forty pieces of well drilling machinery." Without complying with the instructions for shipping explosives the shippers placed a box containing about seventy pounds of dynamite on the car. The box had an open top and had sticks of dynamite packed around the outside of an inner box which also contained dynamite. When an inspector of the company at a station through which the car passed made the discovery an action was taken and judgment was issued against the company for \$500 and costs.

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Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa, until noon, on FRIDAY, the 6th FEBRUARY, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails, on a proposed contract for four years, twice a week on route ETOBICOKE and PLEASANT VIEW from the Postmaster's General's residence.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Edmonton, Pleasant View, Porcupine and Grande Prairie, and at the office of the Post-Office Inspector.

D. A. BRUCE,
Post-Office Inspector
Calgary,
20th December, 1916.

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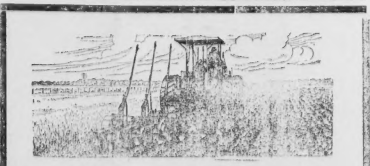
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